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Applicant:

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OF TISSUE ISCHEMIA

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Applicant hereby petitions the Commissioner under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) for a one-month extension of time for response in the above-identified application for the period required to make the attached response timely.

The extension fee for response within the first month is \$55.00. Please charge \$55.00 to Deposit Account No. 50-0872.

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